

Message Text

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R 090940Z MAY 78
FM AMEMBASSY BANJUL
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5517
INFO AMEMBASSY DAKAR POUCH
USMISSION USUN NEW YORK
AMEMBASSY LONDON

C O N F I D E N T I A L BANJUL 0740

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PORG, SF, WA, GA
SUBJECT: NAMIBIA APPROACH TO THE GAMBIA

REF: (A) USUN 1102, (B) USUN 1645, (C) STATE 106129

1. PER INSTRUCTIONS CHARGE SUBMITTED TEXT OF WESTERN FIVE PROPOSAL ON NAMIBIA TO MINISTRY EXTERNAL AFFAIRS, PERM SEC EBOU TAAL, MAY 3. CHARGE COVERED ALL POINTS REFTELS, TO WHICH TAAL LISTENED ATTENTIVELY. TAAL SAID GOTG LARGELY SUPPORTS WESTERN FIVE PROPOSALS, BUT IS CONCERNED ABOUT FINAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR WALVIS BAY, AND CONTINUED PRESENCE SOUTH AFRICAN TROOPS IN NAMIBIA.

2. MINISTER EXTERNAL AFFAIRS JABANG LEFT UNEXPECTEDLY FOR NEW YORK APRIL 30, FOLLOV APPEAL FROM AFRICAN GROUP THAT MORE AF FOREIGN MINISTERS COME TO SPECIAL UNGA ON NAMIBIA TO UNDERSCORE SERIOUSNESS WITH WHICH AFRICA VIEWS NAMIBIA SITUATION. HE WILL RETURN TO BANJUL AFTER SESSION. TAAL SAYS GOTG POSITION IS TO ENCOURAGE SWAPO MODERATION, BUT NOT TO OPPOSE SWAPO INITIATIVES.

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3. CHARGE SPOKE WITH UK HICOM MAY 2 RE SUBMISSION WESTERN FIVE TEXT. HE WAS WITHOUT INSTRUCTIONS, BUT HAD SENT TAAL SUMMARY OF PROPOSAL BY LETTER ON APRIL 10.
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Message Attributes

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